

BASE BALL. BOWLING.

Sporting.

BOXING. CYCLING.

LOOKS VERY STRONG.

The Strength of the Natters Conceded Over the Inter-State Circuit—Detroiters May be Invited to Do Their Spring Practice Here.

All over the Inter-state circuit the concession is made that the Wheeling team looks dangerous, and that it will finish in the first division this season. Here in Wheeling the "fans" are beginning to realize the strength of the Natters and although they do not go to the length of claiming the pennant—a perilous practice, especially in the month of March—they look over the make-up of the seven other teams and size them up with a mind unprejudiced and are unable to pick out a "nine" that looks so strong—on paper. Of course many things can happen before the end of September, and it is even possible Wheeling is fated to finish at the tail-end, but from the view-point of the present the cranks feel justified in dreaming of pennants and "elch-liko," and certainly the make-up of the team is sufficient incentive to induce them to enthrone.

Now that Second-baseman, Mazena has come to his senses and signifies his willingness to sign a Wheeling contract, the infield appears to be all right, even if Woodcock should hold out under the influence of Whistler's wiles. With Meyers or Kihm on first, Mazena on second, "Billy" Niles on third, and either Woodcock or Bammett at short field, the Springfield infield of 1898 will be improved to considerable extent—and in '99 it was accounted about the fastest in the Inter-state. So far as can be seen, Bammett will be as fast as Woodcock in the field, and he is much stronger at the bat. Even if Woodcock signs now, he will have to fight it out with Bammett in the practice season before the guardian of short-field is selected by Lytle.

And the outfield—it is made up of fast fielders and strong batsmen. The last addition is Billy Eagle, whose work in a few games for the Washington National League club attracted favorable comment last summer. It looks now as though the outfield will be made up of Dobbs in left, Eagle in center, and Layde in right. Two other outfielders are signed, Durrett, of last year's Springfield club, and Jack Donovan, a local semi-professional; both will be given thorough trials, and if they show up faster than the trio mentioned they will secure a job, otherwise they will be sent adrift.

In the pitching department the club is exceptionally strong, with Dolan, Wells, Crabill and Poole, of last season's team, and Harry Kane, of St. Louis, a south-paw of whom great things are expected. The quartette landed Springfield in third place last season, and only removed from the lead by a few percentage points. In the face of the woeful lack of support and encouragement the team received at Mansfield, the Springfield people, "Billy" Niles says the team would have pulled down the rag had the fans at Springfield given them anything approaching decent treatment. All of the four who did such fine work for Springfield will do better work in Wheeling, and will have the aid of young Kane, who is touted as a comer by some excellent judges of base ball talent. In addition, the management is negotiating for a well known trier, a man whom one would not expect to see even in such a top-notch minor league as the Inter-state. He comes high, but President Howell is determined to land a winning aggregation, and it will not be his fault nor Lytle's if one is not secured.

President Howell leaves this evening for Mansfield to attend the Inter-state schedule meeting at Mansfield. Manager Jack Glascock of the Fort Wayne leaves this morning, having received a telegram calling him to the scene in advance of the meeting. Jack is getting together a promising team for the Indiana town, and it is safe to predict the rivalry between Wheeling and Fort Wayne will be at fever heat this season.

President Howell may invite the Detroit management to come to Wheeling for the spring practice. Von der Beck, it is said, has intended going to Springfield for the preliminary work of his team, but he will do well to reconsider, and accept Mr. Howell's invitation. The practice work of the two teams could be arranged without difficulty, and a series of exciting contests would doubtless excite unusual anti-season interest here.

The Wheeling management has received another signed contract, that of Billy Cassabohn, of Chicago, the catcher, who will help out Hunt. He played

Not so very long ago pirates attacked a vessel in the Chinese sea. The crew fled in terror to the rigging, but the captain's wife seized a cutlass, and as the pirates' heads appeared over the side, she cut them down like weeds, until those remaining re-entered their boats and rowed away.



Diseases that attack women are worse than pirates. They torture long before they kill. But women can beat them off and cut them down with Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This is a woman's remedy that has no alcohol, opium or other narcotic in it. It is the prescription of Dr. R. V. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., who has devoted a long and successful life to the study and treatment of diseases peculiar to women. It overcomes irregularities, stops disagreeable drains, bearing-down pains and backache; cures female weakness and indigestion. It helps the girl over the difficulties encountered when the system is unbalanced; makes the period preceding maternity a time of comfort; and the newborn enters the world without unnecessary pain to the mother. At the "turn of life" it is priceless to womankind. Medicine dealers sell it, and you should never permit them to substitute other medicine which they may urge upon you as "just as good."

"I had been a great sufferer from female weakness," writes Mrs. M. B. Wallace, of Manchester, Cooke Co., Texas. "I tried four doctors and none did me any good. I suffered six years, but at last I found relief. I followed your advice, and took four bottles of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and eight of the 'Favorite Prescription,' and now feel like a new woman. I have gained eighteen pounds."

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"Hymel" goes direct to the diseased parts, which can be reached by no other remedy of life only. Had stomach remedies been used, Pneumonia would have resulted.

"Hymel" cures by Inhalation. Sold by Druggists, or sent by mail. Price, complete outfit, \$1.00. Retail bottles 50c.

R. T. BOOTH COMPANY,
Rooms 20-21 Auditorium Building, Chicago, Ill.

with Mobile last summer and made a good record in the Southern league.

Catcher Hunt, who came to town with his bride the other day, went to Pittsburgh on Sunday for a visit to his wife's relatives. He will return this week and occupy rooms he has engaged on the Island, near the ball park.

The two local players with National league teams have gone to "the front." They are Second Baseman Padden, of the Washingtons, who went to Hampton, Va., and "Briekveld" Kennedy, of the Brooklyn, who left for Savannah.

Manager D. J. Lowney, of the Mansfield Inter-State league team, has been in Saginaw, Mich., during the winter, where he is studying medicine. The members of the team are to report April 15. Nearly all of last season's men were reserved and most of them have signed contracts for this season. Of catchers there are Frank Belt and Jack Law and Frank Quinn, of last year's Port Huron team. The pitchers are Rosecoe Miller, John Kestel, Richard Smith and Kellum, of last year's team, and Charles Wills, of Indianapolis. For the infield there are Manager Lowney at short, Keenan, Francis, Hudson, Werick and Quinn. In the outfield are Flournoy, Beecher, Brott and Tromley. Negotiations are also pending with Frank Roat, of last season's St. Joseph team, in the Western League, Riegan, of Dayton, and O'Meara and Cooke, formerly of Fort Wayne.

CYCLING.

In more respects than one the automobile promises to repeat the history of the bicycle on the road to popularity. The same battle-scarred fields over which the cycle fought and won its rights will have to be struggled over by the motor carriages, if there is anything more than a local significance in the report from Boston that automobiles have been excluded from the parks between the hours of 10:30 o'clock in the morning and 9 o'clock at night. The scary horse was the bane of the cyclist, and now he is trying to check the encroachments of the motor vehicle. The thing in this is plain, or than it was in the case of the bicycle, but it is a sad one for the lover of horse flesh to contemplate. It really looks as if in the near future all horses will have to be hunters, so that they can be used over the fence and cross country, where the bicycle cannot spin nor the motor car "mote."

California is to have an elevated bicycle path, and the company is already organized. The path is to be from three to fifty feet above the ground, ten feet wide and nine miles long. It will run from Pasadena to Los Angeles, Merlewood Park and Casino, an up-to-date cycling resort and pleasure ground will be situated about midway on the path.

BOWLING.

Secretary Fette, of the Wheeling league, announces the averages up to and including last week's games, which show Brown and Stevenson tied, but the former has a fractional lead. The figures:

Brown, Wheeling, 164; Stevenson, Wheeling, 164; Campbell, Wheeling, 163; Rader, Bowlers, 163; Handlan, Wheeling, 161; Nolte, All Alike, 159; Emblem, Bowlers, 159; Cochran, All Alike, 158; W. Fette, Old Cronies, 155; Falk, Bowlers, 155; Hockman, Bowlers, 155; Bauer, All Alike, 153; Winterer, All Alike, 153; F. Brash, All Alike, 152; Wilhelm, Puritans, 152; Jones, Puritans, 152; Wagner, Wheeling, 152; Rahr, All Alike, 151; Bosley, Wheeling, 151; Marschner, Wheeling, 151; Vogler, Golden Rods, 149; Belsinger, Golden Rods, 149; Franz, Old Cronies, 148; Zimmerman, Aber Nit, 148; Rader, Aber Nit, 148; Kronmiller, Rum Dum, 148; Hennings, Bowlers, 147; Alexander, 146; E. Bearley, Golden Rods, 146; Yenke, Old Cronies, 146; Beuter, Puritans, 146; Arndt, All Alike, 145; King, Golden Rods, 145; Sonnefeld, Golden Rods, 145; Sarver, Golden Rods, 145; Dinger, Bowlers, 144; Heiler, Old Cronies, 144; L. West, La Belle, 144; Modar, Puritans, 144; Scheehle, Puritans, 143; Ebeling, All Alike, 143; Knike, Wheeling, 142; Weltzel, Wheeling, 142; Cardona, Aber Nit, 142; Falk, Puritans, 142; Kase, Golden Rods, 140; Pretzman, Aber Nit, 140; Speldel, Old Cronies, 139; Smith, Puritans, 139; C. Fette, La Belle, 138; Gauchan, Puritans, 137; Erpp, Rum Dum, 137; Kemple, Golden Rods, 137; Carter, Puritans, 136; Baker, Puritans, 135; Hostlings, La Belle, 135; Worla, Bowlers, 135; Andlinger, La Belle, 134; Plankey, Aber Nit, 133; Hall, Rum Dum, 133; Clark, Golden Rods, 132; Bernhardt, Aber Nit, 132; J. Baumann, 132; Hess, Old Cronies, 130; Springer, Rum Dum, 129; McAndrews, Frog Horns, 130; Costello, Frog Horns, 129; Bohn, Aber Nit, 128; Patterson, Old Cronies, 128; Steurnagel, La Belle, 128; Nolte, Frog Horns, 127; B. Schroeder, Aber Nit, 126; Miller, Old Cronies, 125; Wolfe, Old Cronies, 125; Norderman, La Belle, 125; Long, Rum Dum, 124; Rott, Frog Horns, 123; Craver, Frog Horns, 123; Beltz, All Alike, 123; Garden, Aber Nit, 121; Leach, La Belle, 120; Miller, Rum Dum, 117; Diehl, La Belle, 117; Hall, Frog Horns, 115; H. Jahnke, Frog Horns, 115; Druschell, Rum Dum, 115; J. Stein, Rum Dum, 113; W. Jahnke, Frog Horns, 113; Faulkenstein, Rum Dum, 111; Kain, Frog Horns, 109; H. Bearley, Golden Rods, 109; A. Stein, Rum Dum, 107; Brandt, Frog Horns, 107; Wasmuth, Wheeling, 106.

THE RIVER.

YESTERDAY'S DEPARTURES.
Pittsburgh, DEN HUR, 3 a. m.
Pittsburgh, KANAWHA, 3 a. m.
Pittsburgh, KEYSTONE STATE, 1 p. m.
Cincinnati, QUEEN CITY, 3 a. m.
Zanesville, OHIO, 3 a. m.
BOATS LEAVING TO-DAY.
Pittsburgh, DEN HUR, 9 p. m.
Sistersville, RUTH, 3:30 p. m.
Clarington, LEROY, 3:30 p. m.
Steubenville, T. M. HAYNE, 2:30 p. m.
BOATS LEAVING TO-MORROW.
Cincinnati, KEYSTONE STATE, 3 a. m.
Pittsburgh, DEN HUR, 3 a. m.
Pittsburgh, H. K. BEDFORD, 11 a. m.
Matamoras, LEXINGTON, 11 a. m.
Sistersville, LEROY, 3:30 p. m.
Clarington, LEROY, 3:30 p. m.
Steubenville, T. M. HAYNE, 2:30 p. m.

Along the Landing.

The Queen City got out of the upper river on time, with a big trip.

The Keystone State was late yesterday, on account of low business below.

The marks at 6 p. m. Sunday showed 10 feet 1 inch and rising slowly. Not more than two or three inches is expected on the rise.

Captain James A. Henderson, of the Pittsburgh and Cincinnati packet line,

completed arrangements yesterday for a novel and important departure in Pittsburgh river affairs. Henceforth it will be possible to ship freight by water from Pittsburgh to foreign countries touched by Atlantic ocean vessels. Freight will be shipped via New Orleans, transferred at that point to the steamers and thence again transferred to ocean liners. Captain Henderson says shipments by this means can be made for less money than by rail, and he expects to transport large quantities of iron and steel products. He has already made rates for the shipment of a large quantity of nails to Belfast, Ireland.—Pittsburgh Post.

River Telegrams.

WARREN—River 4 feet 7 inches. Weather, snowing and cold.

BROWNsville—River 7 feet 4 inches and rising. Weather, raining, turning to snow and colder.

MORGANTOWN—River 8 feet and falling. Weather, snowing and cold.

OIL CITY—River 5 feet 2 inches and rising. Weather, cloudy and cold.

PITTSBURGH—River 8.3 feet and rising. Clear and cold.

STEUBENVILLE—River 10 feet and rising. Weather, clear and cold.

PARKERSBURG—Ohio river 11 feet 10 inches and rising. Weather, cloudy; mercury, 32.

Is It Malaria or Alum?

(Popular Science Monthly.)
Languor, loss of appetite, indigestion and often feverishness are the common symptoms of a physiological condition termed "malaria." All these symptoms may be and frequently are the effect of the use of alum baking powders in food making. There is no question about the poisonous effect of alum upon the system. It obstructs digestion, prostrates the nerves, coagulates and devitalizes the blood. All this has been made clear, thanks to physicians, boards of health, and food commissioners. So "highly injurious to the health of the community" does the eminent head of the University of Pennsylvania, Dr. Barker, consider the alum baking powders, that he says "their sale should be prohibited by law."

Under these circumstances it is worth the while of every housewife to employ the very little care that is necessary to keep so dangerous an element from the food of her family.

A pure cream of tartar baking powder, which is the only kind that should be used, ought to cost about 45 cents to 50 cents a pound. Therefore, if you are paying much less, something is wrong; if you are paying 25 cents or less per pound, the powder is certainly made from alum.

Always bear these simple facts in mind when purchasing baking powder.

MARTIN'S FERRY NEWS.

The Daily Chronicle of Wheeling's Progressive Neighbor.

A sanguinary battle between two young men of the Second ward, took place in Hoyle's field, at a late hour Saturday night, witnessed by about fifty friends of the participants. The cause of the trouble was a misunderstanding about some trivial matter which arose between the two young men while attending a festival in the Commercial hall, and they agreed to repair to the above field, where they could settle their differences in a more forcible manner. After a lively "mix-up" for several minutes the event was declared off for the time, both parties agreeing to meet at the same place last night, when their grievances would be finally settled.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE.

A pleasant surprise was tendered Mrs. John Burns at her home on West Walnut street, Saturday night, where a large number of relatives and friends assembled, and a pleasant social time ensued. Appetizing refreshments had been prepared and were served and the Twentieth Century Mandolin and Guitar club furnished music during the evening.

MR. TOPPING SUES.

John A. Topping has entered suit in the common pleas court against Dr. William E. Hervey, administrator of the Armstrong estate, to recover \$4,000, which he claims to have lost by the non-transference of \$34,000 worth of Aetna-Standard stock, which said defendant agreed to transfer to him on the second day of March.

A PROTEST FILED.

A protest against the names of the nominees of the Republican and Democratic parties for the city solicitor office, appearing on the ticket for the spring election, has been filed with the deputy supervisors of elections. The reason for the protest is that the office is not yet vacant and that the Republican nominee is a non-resident of the state. The city solicitorship question is one which has furnished opportunity for much discussion and reasons of both sides of the question as to whether the office is vacant or not, are numerous. A final decision in the matter will relieve much anxiety among aspirants for the position as well as voters.

MARTIN'S FERRY BRIEFS.

A rich mineral spring has been discovered on the farm of Charles Hiesley, west of town. Water from the spring has been analyzed by several chemists, who have pronounced it to be as pure and as fine as any mineral water in the Ohio valley. Mr. Hiesley will put the water on the market next summer, and it will no doubt prove to be a money maker.

"Plymouth Rock and Other Rocks," the subject of the lecture to be delivered at the German Lutheran church to-night, by T. B. Roth, D. D., president of Thiel College, Greenville, Pa., promises to be interesting and well attended.

Richard Stewart, who has been the manager of the Laughlin hall works for

some years past, will resign his position in order that he may accept the position of boss roller at the Jefferson-Lion works in Steubenville, which will resume operations after a long illness, about the first of April.

Rev. John L. Vance, of Allegheny, Pa., conducted services at the United Presbyterian church yesterday. Instead of Rev. W. J. Wishart, who was to have been here, but who was detained on account of sickness.

Dr. W. B. Shuttleworth left yesterday for Charleston, W. Va., where he will make a short visit after which he will go to New York City and take a six weeks' post-graduate medical course.

Nicholas Wagenheim, a German resident of Crawford Heights, died Saturday morning, aged sixty-three years. Funeral will occur this afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment at West's cemetery.

The Misses Anna and Mamie Boyd entertained a party of their friends at the home of their parents on Fourth street, Saturday evening, in a pleasant manner.

One plain drunk, arrested by Officer Bailey, Saturday night, was before the mayor yesterday and received the usual dose of \$1 and costs.

The supper and social given by the ladies of the Christian church Saturday night, was largely attended and well patronized.

The town clock was stopped for a time yesterday morning, caused by the snow being blown into the works and freezing.

The Martin's Ferry Athletic Club expects to give its second entertainment in Maennerchor hall, on the evening of April 1.

H. C. Ulrich, who received a bad fall at the Belmont brewery several weeks ago, is again able to be around.

Charles Mortimer and company will commence a week's engagement at the opera house to-night.

R. B. Reineck has returned from a business trip for the West Virginia Glass Company.

Beauford Campbell, of Mountsville, was the guest of friends on Walnut street yesterday.

Joseph Jacobs left yesterday morning for New York and Philadelphia, on business.

Jack Leeman and Alvin Smith came in from Washington, Pa., to spend Sunday.

Elmer Walker has returned to Toledo, Ohio, after a visit with his parents.

Mrs. L. J. C. Drennen is visiting friends near Mt. Pleasant.

BELLARE HAPPENINGS.

Matters of Interest in the Metropolis of Belmont County.

There were five unfortunate in the city battle yesterday morning, but two of them got out by putting up. The other three languish still and will answer to the mayor this morning for their short-comings. In about eight cases out of ten of the plain drunks that show up in the police court here, as elsewhere, the men fined are not punished half as much as the families.

THEY HAD "A TIME."

Two rather well dressed young men from Wheeling whose names could not be learned, were having quite a serious time on the street here yesterday morning. The younger and smaller one of the two was called "Doc" by his taller partner. Both were drunk and the smaller one was crying over the loss of a considerable sum of money in one of the numerous gaming places here. It seems the boys dropped down Saturday night for "a time." They seem to have had it, but did not realize the cost until the play was over and all they had left was a disagreeable recollection that they had had plenty of money but a short time before. The pitiful crying of the youth aroused some sympathy in those who saw and heard him and left the impression that the thing that was hurting was the possible use of money not his own.

WAGES ADVANCED.

The workmen at the Bellare steel works are now working at an advance in wages. The lower the wages the greater the increase, but all the wage earners begin this morning on the advance. The top filers at the furnace get fifteen cents per day advance. The increase came voluntarily. No demand was made and a better feeling pervades the employes now.

WANTS TO SUCCEED WEEMS.

City Solicitor Hunter S. Armstrong is a candidate for prosecuting attorney to succeed Hon. C. L. Weems, who is serving his second term. Mr. Weems has made and is still making one of the best prosecutors the county ever had. Mr. Armstrong is a lawyer of recognized ability; thoughtful and studious, devoted to his profession and capable in more than an ordinary way. His candidacy seems to meet with general favor all over the county, and so far there seems to be no other candidate. The Barnesville Whetstone paid him a deserved compliment last week, which is in general keeping with expressions from other parts of the county. Mr. Armstrong will make a worthy successor to such an efficient prosecutor as the present incumbent.

THE BOARD TO MEET.

The county board of election supervisors will meet at St. Clairsville to-day or to-morrow to arrange the ballots for the spring elections in the various precincts. There is not a great deal of general interest manifest as yet, though the candidates for the few places that pay anything at all are mustering their friends. The election is two weeks from to-day.

BELLARE BRIEFS.

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There was a row of considerable proportions in a Union street saloon Saturday evening, in which glasses and bottles were used, but it was hushed up so quickly that the name of only one man could be learned.

There is more building now contracted for in this city for this spring than in any whole year of any one of the past five or six.

Some of the holders of common stock in the National Steel Company, from this section have been letting go, but are still holding the preferred.

W. C. Danford came in from Columbus Saturday. He and his wife will probably take up their residence here in the Gravel Hill cut.

Hon. N. K. Kennon spent most of last week in Chicago. He was one of the directors of the old Aetna-Standard Co.

Hon. C. L. Weems came in from Columbus yesterday evening. He had been attending court in Columbus.

Hon. Charles M. Hogg, of Cadiz, was in the city over Sunday.

He Fooled the Surgeons.

All doctors told Renek Hamilton, of West Jefferson, O., after suffering 18 months from Rectal Fistula, he would die unless a costly operation was performed; but he cured himself with five boxes of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the surest Pile cure on Earth, and the best Salve in the World. 25 cents a box. Sold by Logan Drug Co., druggist.

Takes Wheeling & Lake Erie for Selo.

SEATS for "Jack and the Beanstalk" at House's this morning.

IT IS FREE!

Are you afflicted with that condition known as "hard of hearing" and ringing noises in the ears, have you catarrh of nose and throat, do you suffer from stomach, kidney or liver disease, is your heart affected, have you bronchitis or lung trouble, asthma, rheumatism or nervous trouble?

If you have any of the above diseases write for symptom blank for home treatment. We will send one week's supply of medicine free to demonstrate the curative nature of our treatment to any one who will pay express charges on medicine.

A CURE OF BRONCHIAL ASTHMA.

Chas. M. Jenkins, New Cumberland, W. Va. "Bronchial Asthma made my life miserable for five years, and although I doctored with two doctors and took almost every kind of patent medicine I received no relief until I consulted Drs. Byers and Tucker. Before treating with these specialists I took cold very easily, and every cold always broke out in a spell. I would almost choke to death. I could not sleep on account of suffocative breathing. Since treating with Doctors Byers and Tucker I have not had a cold since, my appetite is good, I can do a day's work without feeling the least bit worn out, and have gained ten pounds. I was advised to consult these specialists by several people who had taken their treatment."

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Proposals.

PROPOSALS FOR HAULING BRICK AND SEWER PIPE.

Sealed proposals will be received by the board of public works of the city of Wheeling until 12 o'clock noon Saturday, March 25, 1899, for hauling brick and sewer pipe during the year 1899. Specifications can be obtained at the office of the clerk of the board of public works, and shall be made on printed forms, which will be furnished by the clerk.

The successful bidder or bidders will be required to furnish bond in the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars for the faithful performance of the contract. The names of the sureties must accompany each bid.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

WM. H. HORNISH, Clerk.

PROPOSALS FOR BRICK, SEWER PIPE AND CURBING.

Sealed proposals will be received by the board of public works of the city of Wheeling until 12 o'clock noon Saturday, March 25, 1899, for furnishing paving brick, sewer pipe and curbing during the year 1899; also for dressing and resetting old curbing. Specifications can be obtained at the office of the clerk of the board of public works, and shall be made on printed forms, which will be furnished by the clerk.

The successful bidders will be required to furnish bonds in the following amounts as a guarantee of the faithful performance of their contracts:

For furnishing brick, three thousand (\$3,000) dollars.

For furnishing sewer pipe, one thousand (\$1,000) dollars.

For furnishing curbing and dressing and resetting old curbing, one thousand (\$1,000) dollars.

The names of the sureties must accompany each bid.

The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

WM. H. HORNISH, Clerk.

Stockholders' Meetings.

PITTSBURGH, WHEELING & KENTUCKY RAILROAD COMPANY.
WHEELING, W. Va., March 9, 1899.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE Pittsburgh, Wheeling & Kentucky Railroad Company will be held at the principal office of the company, in the city of Wheeling, W. Va., at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of holding an election for directors to serve for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

S. B. LIGGETT, Secretary.

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